

REMARKS

In the Office Action mailed April 1, 2005, the Examiner rejected claims 1-7, 9, 10, 12, 16 and 17 under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over U.S. Patent No. 6,240,083 to Wright in view of U.S. Patent No. 4,816,825 to Chan et al; rejected claim 8 under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Wright in view of Chan and further in view of U.S. Patent No. 4,058,672 to Crager et al.; rejected claim 11 under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Wright in view of Chan and further in view of U.S. Patent No. 4,412,326 to Limb and U.S. Patent No. 5,650,997; rejected claim 18 under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Wright in view of Chan and further in view of Limb. The Examiner also indicated claims 13, 14, 19 and 20 are allowable.

By this amendment, Applicant has cancelled claims 1, 11 and 15-18 and amended dependent claims 2-10 and 12 to be dependent upon allowed claim 13. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the pending application in view of this amendment. No new matter has been added. Applicant asserts all pending claims are in condition for allowance because they contain allowable subject matter as indicated by the Examiner.

With respect to the prior art rejections made by the Examiner in the Office Action mailed April 1, 2005, Applicant disagrees with the Examiner's characterization of the prior art references. However, in order to expedite prosecution, Applicant has amended the pending application to maintain those claims indicated allowable.

With respect to the Examiner's indication of allowable subject matter in claims 13-15, 19 and 20, Applicant disagrees with Examiner's characterization of what is well known in the prior art. Applicant respectfully requests a citation to a prior art reference

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to support this assertion of what is well known in the prior art. In addition, Applicant disagrees with the Examiner's characterization of what makes these claims allowable. These claims are not limited to active and inactive users as asserted by the Examiner.

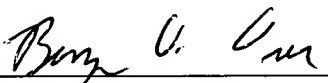
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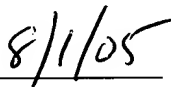
CONCLUSION

Applicant respectfully requests withdrawal of the rejections made in the last Office Action and the issuance of a Notice of Allowance. The Applicant's representative can be reached at the below telephone number if the Examiner has any questions.

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